About the Medical Center

The Syracuse VA Medical Center is a tertiary care facility located at the geographic center of New York State. It is adjacent to State University of New York (SUNY) Upstate Medical University and Syracuse University. The Medical Center provides acute medical and surgical services, acute mental health, rehabilitative medicine, and intensive care. It has a 50-bed nursing home that provides short-term transitional care.

The Medical Center offers a vast array of outpatient specialty services, in addition to primary care. They include emergency medicine, cardiology, hematology/oncology, women's health, geriatric medicine, and behavioral health.

The research and development service at the Syracuse VA supports a comprehensive medical research program. Over 40 researchers are investigating areas such as diabetes, drug dependence, heart disease, cancer, bladder disease, and telemedicine.

The Syracuse VA is academically affiliated with SUNY Upstate Medical University. It provides education to medical students, residents and fellows. A long-standing educational partnership exists with Syracuse University where audiology, speech pathology and social work students receive their field experience at the VA.

Syracuse VA operates eight community-based outpatient clinics in: Massena, Watertown, Oswego, Rome, Auburn, Cortland, Ithaca, and Binghamton providing primary care and mental health services to the veterans who live in the 18 counties of Central New York.

Contact Us for You Next Guest Speaker

Our medical professionals offer a wide range of topics:

- Veterans Benefits
- ☐ Volunteerism
- ☐ Employment Opportunities
- ☐ Long Term Care
- ☐ Minority Veteran Outreach
- ☐ Home Based Hospital Care
- ☐ Post Traumatic Stress (PTSD)
- Women's Health
- Diabetes
- Prostate Cancer
- Stroke
- ☐ Sleep Disorders
- □ Care for the Homeless
- ☐ Medical Research
- ☐ Emergency Medicine
- Patient Focused Care
- ☐ Information Systems

Syracuse VA can help make your next event a success!

It is Easy to Request a Speaker

Call us at least four weeks in advance of the date of your event with the following information:

- Date/time location of the event
- The composition of the audience
- Approximate number of individuals attending

The Syracuse VA Speakers Bureau is a free service!

CONTACT:

Gordon Sclar
Public Affairs Officer

Syracuse VA Medical Center 800 Irving Avenue Syracuse, New York 13210

(315) 425-4400, extension 54899







Syracuse VA Medical Center Speakers Bureau

There is a lot happening at the Syracuse VA Medical Center (VAMC) and we would like to share our Medical Center with you through our Speakers Bureau Program. Our commitment to caring for the veteran, education of personnel in the health care profession, and quality management enables us to offer a broad variety of topics. The Syracuse VAMC Speakers Bureau was established as a service to the community in order to share our activities and expertise with you. We will be pleased to provide you with speakers for schools, civic and community groups. Our topics can be tailored to fit your special needs.

For more information, please contact:

Gordon Sclar

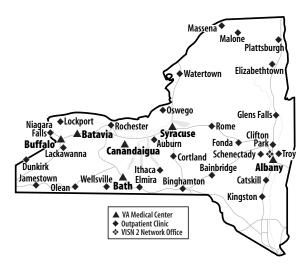
Public Affairs Officer

Syracuse VA Medical Center 800 Irving Avenue Syracuse, New York 13210

(315) 425-4400, extension 54899

Syracuse VA Medical Center
a member of the
VA Healthcare Network Upstate New York
(Albany, Bath, Buffalo/Batavia, Canandaigua, Syracuse)

Reaching Us Is Easy



VA Health Care On The Web

www.va.gov/visns/visn02

Upstate New York Veterans ~

Wherever you are, When you need help ...

VA TELCARE 1-888-838-7890 Leading Health Care In The 21st Century



Speakers Bureau



Syracuse VA Medical Center 800 Irving Avenue Syracuse, New York 13210

Produced by Network Communications
Designed and printed by the Network Print Shop, Bath VA Medical Center



4/03





